



**U.S. Department of Justice**

*United States Attorney  
District of Maryland  
Northern Division*

*Thomas M. DiBiagio  
United States Attorney*

*Vickie E. LeDuc  
Public Information Officer*

*6625 United States Courthouse  
101 West Lombard Street  
Baltimore, Maryland 21201-2692*

*410-209-4800  
TTY/TDD: 410-962-4462  
410-209-4885  
FAX 410-962-3091  
Vickie.LeDuc@usdoj.gov*

**SEPTEMBER 5, 2003  
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT  
VICKIE E. LEDUC, AUSA  
(410) 209-4885**

**BALTIMORE MAN SENTENCED TO 176 MONTHS  
FOR ARMED BANK ROBBERIES**

**Baltimore, Maryland** - United States Attorney Thomas M. DiBiagio announced that U.S. District Judge William M. Nickerson sentenced William David Jenkins, age 51, of Baltimore, Maryland to 176 months in prison followed by 3 years of supervised release arising from Jenkins's May 23, 2003 guilty plea to armed bank robbery and use of a firearm during a crime of violence. Judge Nickerson also ordered that Jenkins make restitution to two banks in the total amount of \$36,457.00.

Following an investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Jenkins was indicted and arrested for his involvement with William Jones of Baltimore, Maryland in a string of bank robberies in Baltimore, Maryland from October, 2001 through March, 2002. Jones also pled guilty.

According to the statement of facts set forth in Jenkins's guilty plea, Jenkins and Jones committed two armed bank robberies in which both brandished firearms: one on March 7, 2002 of the First Union Bank at 1060 Maiden Choice Lane in Baltimore, Maryland in the amount of \$21,255.00; the other on March 22, 2002 of the Carrollton Bank at 531 South Conkling Street in Baltimore, Maryland in the amount of \$15,202. Jones vaulted over the counter and removed money